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## COLONIAL THEATRE, SUNDAY, 3 P. M.

Under the Auspices of the Portsmouth War Relief Committee.

### Illustrated Lecture, War Conditions in Serbia Speaker, Miss Helen Losanitch

Daughter of a Member of the Serbian Cabinet.

MUSICAL PROGRAM BY NAVAL BAND

MAYOR LADD WILL PRESIDE.

An Offering for Stricken Serbia Will Be Taken.

## WILSON'S DECISION TO BE MADE SOON

Will Appoint a Secretary of War Who Can at Once Take Office.

Washington, Feb. 12.—President Wilson's decision as to who will be the next secretary of war is expected to be announced on Monday, when he returns from a week-end trip in the Mayflower. It is understood that he is anxious that his new cabinet member shall qualify immediately, as General Hugh Scott, the acting secretary, holds decidedly strong views favoring compulsory military service in opposition to those of the President.

## PLOTTED TO KILL A HUNDRED

Fanatic Poisoned the Soup of a Hundred Guests at a Banquet in Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Details of a sinister plot by a supposed fanatic whose inflamed mind impelled him to attempt wholesale murder of the guests of a banquet given Archbishop George W. Mundelein at the University Club Thursday evening, were in the hands of police and club officials today. The one hundred prominent guests who

became violently ill after eating the soup served at the banquet, all recovered. There is no doubt said N. J. Doherty, manager of the club, but the poisoning of the plot of a single man to kill the hundred at the table. We know who the man is and we have asked a well equipped room in his quarters including hundreds of vials of deadly poisons of a dozen varieties.

## B. & M. SHOPS ON FULL TIME

More Men Employed at Concord Shops Than for Years.

(Special to The Herald)  
Concord, Feb. 12.—The Boston and Maine railroad shops here announced today that their help would be employed on a full time schedule. The change became effective today. It means an increase of 53 hours from a schedule of 15 hours, which has been in force for the past 15 months. The shops are now employing 700 men, which is more than were employed before the transfer of help to Billerica, Mass., shops.

## THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Probably snow tonight and Sunday; somewhat warmer; east wind.

Sun Rises..... 6:47  
Sun Sets..... 5:11  
Length of Day..... 10:24  
High Tide..... 6:55 am, 6:31 pm  
Moon Sets..... 2:23 and  
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 5:11 pm

## ROUMANIA WILL BREAK WITH BULGARIA

Demands an Explanation of Bulgar Troops Crossing Frontier.

(Special to The Herald)  
Geneva, Feb. 12.—Roumania is reported in a dispatch from Bucharest to have demanded an explanation from Bulgaria of the action of Bulgarian troops in crossing the Roumanian frontier. Advice from Italian sources are that Roumania will find the explanation unacceptable and that diplomatic relations between the two countries will be broken.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF WENTWORTH HOME

Shows Balance After a Very Helpful Year.

The third annual report of the Mark H. Wentworth Home for Chronic Invalids has been issued and it shows that the home has been doing a very great work during the past year in its special line.

There has been an average of twelve patients during the year and there are at present fourteen in the home. Placed during the year and four were discharged as improved.

The permanent funds are growing slowly, a substantial addition being received last year from the Susan D. Gray estate of \$3,000. The total funds are \$7,451.38, and the expenditures for the year were \$1,855.57, leaving a balance of \$1,555.57.

## GOVERNMENT BEING ROBBED IN PANAMA

General Goethals Charges That Millions Are Being Overpaid For Land

(Special to The Herald)  
Washington, Feb. 12.—The U. S. is being "robbed" of between sixteen and seventeen million dollars through the too liberal attitude of the Panama-United States joint land commission, according to General George Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone. Very extravagant payments are being allowed private owners of land, which is needed for the canal zone. Much of the money is going to squatters, with no title to the land, in his opinion, and he suggests legislation that will compel payment on the value of the land, as of 1903 when the canal zone was acquired. He has also asked the house commerce committee to push through a bill to terminate the activity of the joint commission within six months.

## GERMANS ADMIT FRENCH GAINS

Big Battle Is Raging in the Champagne and French Take Line of Trenches.

(Special to The Herald)  
Berlin, Feb. 12.—A great battle is now raging in Champagne as well as Artois, and it is admitted by the German war office that the French have made gains there. Northeast of Meuse the French penetrated the German position over a front of two hundred yards.

Paris, Feb. 12.—The capture of three hundred yards of trench in Champagne is announced by the war office. A counter attack by the Germans was repulsed, 60 prisoners, one an officer, being captured.

## ATTACHMENT FOR \$12,000

Placed on R. B. Phillips Co. by Boston Firm.

The financial troubles of the R. B. Phillips Company, which a few months ago planned to manufacture munitions of war at Freeman's Point, still continue and on Saturday morning Deputy Sheriff Wilbur B. Shaw served papers in an attachment of \$12,000, brought by the Babcock & Wilcox Company of Boston to twelve for boilers and other steam appliances furnished the company. The writ was served at the company's plant and

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Taffeta with blue rainbow net overdress.....	\$16.50

### Crepe de Chine Gowns

Ribbon flowered trimmed, silver insertion bands.....	\$16.50
Crepe de Chine, iridescent band trimmed.....	\$12.00
Messaline, silver lace and satin band trimming.....	\$20.00
Chiffon with net overdress, satin band trimmed.....	\$15.00

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# MASSACHUSETTS STARTS A BOOM FOR ROOSEVELT

## Congressman Gardner Heads Delegates Pledged to His Nomination in Bay State

Washington, Feb. 12.—The old guard of the Republican party was given a distinct shock yesterday when the announcement was made that Congressman A. P. Gardner was to head a list of delegates from Massachusetts pledged for Col. Theodore Roosevelt for the Chicago convention. There was no question as to what Congressman Gardner and his associates meant in their announcement for they made it very plain that they consider that the ex-president is the only salvation of the country in these troublous times. Pledged with the Congressman are Grafton D. Cushing, Charles Sumner Bird, and State Senator Robert Washburn, a combination of the progressive and republican.

The announcement was as follows: "We are candidates for delegates-at-large from Massachusetts to the Republican National convention."

"We are tired of vague statements and beating around the bush."

"We propose to go straight to the point and give everyone a chance to know for what he is voting in the primaries."

"We don't want to go unpunished."

"We do not want a convention set up for dark horses."

"We want Roosevelt for president."

"Grafton D. Cushing."

"Charles Sumner Bird."

"A. P. Gardner."

"Robert M. Washburn."

"It is believed that this is the beginning of an important movement for Roosevelt throughout New England."

"Veterans of Massachusetts are for Hughes or Roosevelt. I do not find any response in the state to the Weeks boom," said Rep. A. P. Gardner.

Gardner, asked to state why he was for Roosevelt instead of for Hughes, replied:

"Hughes is a stronger man. I do not know where Justice Hughes stands on any of the vital questions now before the country. Not even the men who sit next to him on the bench know what his attitude is on preparedness, on the anti-American politics, on the great questions of internal and foreign policy. I do not deprecate that attitude of aloofness in a justice of the supreme court. It is absolutely proper, but that is not what we want in the man who is to be the presidential nominee."

"The next president will face an unusual condition."

"We want to know exactly where the man whom we are to elect to that responsible position stands on every important issue of the day. I do not know where Hughes stands, and I do not know exactly where Roosevelt stands."

Mr. Cushing subscribed to what Congressman Gardner said, and added, in his own behalf:

"I think that it is extremely unwise and dangerous to attempt to remove a man from the supreme court to the White House, or put him in politics in any manner."

Mr. Cushing said that he was convinced that there is very little Weeks sentiment in Massachusetts, but that Republicans and former Progressives are anxious to get together on a strong candidate, and that they prefer Roosevelt to any other.

## BANQUET FOR CONG. SULLOWAY

### Friends at Washington to Honor Him at a Session This Evening

Washington, Feb. 11.—Saturday evening has been set aside by the members of the New Hampshire congressional delegation and others for a big get-together party at the Dewey Hotel in this city in honor of the return of Congressman "Cy" Sulloway, who, after suffering in being temporarily detained at home by adverse political fortunes, is back again at Washington among his old associates and the considerable company of new members who have come to congress since Mr. Sulloway was one of the "boys."

There will be nearly one hundred guests at Mr. Sulloway's party, and among them will be many notable figures. "Uncle Joe" Cannon of Illinois, one of the "come-back" members of the present Congress, has accepted the invitation to honor Mr. Sulloway, and many other members of Congress will have served with him through his long membership in the house will be present.

As a tribute to the service rendered to the old soldiers in the matter of pension legislation, a large number of G. A. R. veterans are to be among the guests.

## NINETEEN MINERS KILLED IN EXPLOSION

### Mine Swept by Explosion With Big Loss of Life.

Special to (The Herald)  
Indian, Penn., Feb. 12.—Nineteen are dead, four are injured, two rescuers were overcome by poisonous fumes and three miners are missing as the result of an explosion which swept the workings of the Brant Mine, No. 2 of Jefferson and Clearfield Coal and Iron Company today.

## TEX RICKARD AND HIS \$70,000 WILLARD-MORAN FIGHT STIRRING UP THINGS IN GOTHAM



New York, Feb. 12.—The eyes of the boxing world are now centered on the doings of Jess Willard and Frank Moran and their ten round bout to be held in this city March 17. The sum of \$70,000, which is to be paid for the battle by Promoter, Tex Rickard, is the largest ever given for a ten round fight. Rickard says that the crowd will be the largest that ever attended a mill in this city. It might be well to

state also that the prices will also be the highest ever charged for a mill in the big city. It is said the lowest for a seat will be \$5 and the highest \$100. Rickard expects to come out of the bout a big winner. Other promoters are of the opinion that he will lose a fortune. However, it's better to wait and see. Photo shows Tex Rickard on the right talking matters over with Sam McCarren, his side partner in the promotion of the big mill.

## GAMES WON BY UPPER CLASSES

### SENIORS AND JUNIORS TAKE IN- TERCLASS BASKETBALL GAMES FROM FRESHMEN AND SOPH- OMORES.

By rolling up a score of 55 against 7 the Senior class of the Portsmouth high school defeated the Freshmen in the inter-class basketball game Friday afternoon played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. Akerman and Davis excelled for the upper classmen and Thompson, Brownfield and McDonald did all the scoring for the first year team. The summary:

Seniors	Freshmen
Davis, R. ....	15, Brownfield
Akerman, R. ....	15, Gray
Gray, C. ....	15, Bartlett
Currier, R. ....	15, Thompson
Patterson, J. ....	15, McDonald

Score: Seniors 55, Freshmen 7. Goals from floor, Akerman 12, Gray 9, Davis 4, Patterson 3, Thompson 1, McDonald 1, Brownfield 1. Goals from fouls, Gray 2, Patterson 1, Brownfield 1. Referee, McNeill; timer, Leavitt; scorer, Dowd. Time, three 10m periods.

Juniors Defeat Sophomores  
The second game, played between the Juniors and Sophomores was far more interesting than the first, the Juniors winning after a hard battle by four points, score 20 to 16. The same number of our goals were capped by each team, the Juniors succeeding in scoring four points from fouls called.

For the Juniors the work of Butler and Levine featured. Smith, Thompson and Parlow excelled for the Sophomores. The summary:

Juniors	Sophomores
Butler, R. ....	15, Parlow
Phinney, R. ....	15, W. Thompson
Clark, C. ....	15, C. Smith
Dunn, R. ....	15, Donovan
Levine, R. ....	15, R. Smart

Score: Juniors 20, Sophomores 16. Goals from floor, Butler 4, Clark 2, Levine 2, Smith 4, Thompson 2, Parlow 2. Goals from fouls, Butler 3, Phinney 2. Referee, McNeill; scorer, Leavitt; timer, Dowd. Time, three 10m periods.

Inter-class Standing  
G W L P.C.  
Seniors ..... 6 5 1 .831  
Juniors ..... 6 5 1 .831  
Sophomores ..... 6 2 1 .833  
Freshmen ..... 6 0 6 .000

\$1583.33 PER MINUTE IS ALL  
WILLARD IS TO GET

If Tex Rickard pays Jess Willard \$17,500 for a 10-round bout with Frank Moran the champion will receive \$1583.33 for every minute of the 20 rounds.

At this rate an eight-hour work day

## BOWLING

Elks' League  
Team No. 6 took four points and the match from Team No. 7, winning the total pin fall by 56 pins. Captain Hanson was high with 266 for the winning team and Leary rolled 274 for high total on Team No. 7. The summary:

Team No. 6	Team No. 7
Carl ..... 80	72
Hoyt ..... 70	77
Gray ..... 78	67
Hernsey ..... 77	61
Hanson ..... 90	92

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## DARTMOUTH CARNIVAL A SUCCESS

### Winter Sports Attract Big Crowd—Fire Causes Some Excitement

Hanover, Feb. 11.—Perfect snow conditions marked the first day of the Dartmouth Intercollegiate ski and snowshoe meet, and furnished an afternoon of thrills for the hundreds of visitors that are thronging Hanover for the annual winter carnival of the Dartmouth Outing Club.

The carnival ball, the great social event of Dartmouth's mid-winter festivities, was widely interrupted about 10 o'clock this evening by the sounding of the fire alarm for a fire in a barn in the rear of Davidson & Ward's dry goods store on Main street.

Students in dress suits and members of the fair sex in stinky gowns were interested spectators of the blaze, which for a time threatened to spread to the business blocks on Main street. After an hour's stubborn fight the blaze was subdued, but not until two barns had been gutted. Five horses were removed from the buildings in safety. The loss is estimated at \$1,000.

After the blaze had subsided, and there were no more chances for excitement in that direction, the devotees of Terpsichore returned to the Alumni gymnasium to finish out their interrupted dance.

Never since its construction has the runway of the big jump in the Vale of Tempe been faster than it was today, and with the landing slope perfectly graded, long perfect jumps as well as numerous spectacular features kept the crowds on tiptoe for two hours.

The most sensational event of the afternoon was a soursault on skis by C. G. Paulson, '16, of New Hampshire State. Speeding down the runway at a terrific rate, the stocky Norwegian lurched himself off the take-off time after time, always landing on his feet and continuing down the embankment as unconcerned as though it was an everyday occurrence. And invariably the crowds that packed the amphitheatre gave him a tremendous ovation as he terminated his slide in a brilliant swing.

Second only to Paulson's stunt was a triple jump by F. H. Harris, J. P. Bowler and J. A. Carleton. Hand in hand the three men shot over the take-off abrupt and swept the slope in faultless form. Bowler and Carleton succeeded equally well in entertaining the spectators when they executed a double jump in costume. Bowler arrayed in overalls and a flapping straw hat and Carleton fetchingly roared as a carnival girl in a short skirt, woolly toque and gay-colored scarf.

Dartmouth won the cross-country ski team race against McGill University by a score of 14 to 25, and a second team defeated a trio from Colgate in the competitive events of the day. The McGill race was over a three-mile course, the first man to finish being O. J. Fredericksen, '16, of Little Falls, N. Y., captain of the Dartmouth ski team, who had the substantial lead of three minutes over C. P. Frost, Dartmouth, '18, who finished second. The time, 20m. 11 2-5s, was fast, considering the difficulty of the course.

A novel feature of the meet was a quarter-mile ski joring race down Main street, which was won by I. G. Wolf, '16, of New York city.

The summary:

Ski Joring race—Won by I. G. Wolf, '16, of New York city; second, E. S. Winters, '16, of Buffalo, N. Y.; third, A. E. Goss, '17, of Cleveland, Ohio.

One-mile intercollegiate snowshoe cross-country race—Won by W. D. Kipp, '17, of Newport, Vt.; second, S. B. Jones, '18, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; third, M. G. Sherburne, '17, of Tyngsboro, Mass. Time—6m. 24 4-5s.

Three-mile intercollegiate ski cross-country race—Won by O. J. Fredericksen, '16, of Little Falls, N. Y.; second, C. P. Frost, '18, of Hanover, N. H.; third, J. D. McLeod of McGill University. Time—20m. 11 2-5s.

Dartmouth-McGill dual cross-country race—Won by Dartmouth (Fredericksen, Bowler, Frost, Noyes, Hulbert); second, McGill (Dunnell, McLeod, Pope, Scott, Thompson). Time—20m. 11 2-5s.

Dartmouth-Colgate special cross-country run—Won by Dartmouth (Green, Phillips, Mack); Colgate, second (Strait, Budgell, Ford). Time—5m. 44s.

Snowshoe obstacle race—Won by B. N. Davis, '17, of Newport, Vt.; second, W. D. Kipp, '17, of Newport, Vt.; third, tie between S. B. Jones, '18, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and R. H. Anderton, '16, of Pawtucket, R. I.

STRIKE OVER  
HOLIDAY PAY

Bridgeport, Feb. 11.—Nearly all of the employees of the American Graphophone Company, numbering about 2000 are on strike for double time for Lincoln's birthday. This demand has been refused and as a result work is at a standstill in the big plant. Yesterday a sign was posted signed by Manager Harrison that the company would not regard Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays as holidays. The strike followed.

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  - 1 Light Delivery Wagon, suitable for grocer. . . \$20.00
  - 1 Heavy Delivery Wagon, suitable for general work ..... \$28.00
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# TO RAISE \$200,000 TO PENSION PREACHERS

Methodist Conference Opening Campaign and  
Rev. Dr. Clemans Addressed Meeting at Miller  
Avenue Church Last Evening

A meeting held Friday evening in the vestry of the First Methodist Church on Miller Avenue, was attended by a large number of the congregation who were interested in the movement to raise a fund of \$200,000 for pensioning retired and veteran clergymen of the church, and the widows and orphans of deceased ministers. The meeting was one of many being held throughout the state to inaugurate a campaign in the New Hampshire Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church and was presided over by Rev. Mr. Scott, pastor of the local church.

Rev. Edwin Hitchcock, formerly of Dover, and at present the secretary of the New Hampshire Preachers' Aid Fund, addressed the meeting and gave many reasons why the fund of \$200,000 is needed. Among his remarks he said that the preacher in the Methodist church today received on an average less than the wages paid to the street car motorman. In order to become a preacher he must spend years at study in a school, must continually buy books after becoming a preacher and that the salary paid was not sufficient to permit him to save any money for his old age.

The speaker of the evening, Rev. Dr. Clemans, D. D., was introduced by Mr. Scott, following the conclusion of Mr. Hitchcock's remarks. Dr. Clemans is the field representative of the movement from the executive office of the Board of Conference of the Methodist Church with headquarters at Chicago, Ill., and is at present working in this state under the direction of the Conference at Manchester. He is an able speaker and a writer of considerable note.

Dr. Clemans called attention to the fact that in practically every walk of life the veteran laborer was being pensioned by the employer. Railroads, big industries and private corporations. He said that the day had arrived when no longer a man would be expected to give his life to service and be pushed aside without a competence in his old age.

He said that the church had never demit justly with her workers who had become worn out in the service and that now she was determined to wipe out this injustice. He stated that as a rule a minister cannot save. He has given from seven to ten years of his early manhood in preparation for his life work and at sixty he must think of giving way to younger men, while in other professions men are often active for ten years longer.

Dr. Clemans called attention to the fact that:

The Methodist Church of Canada is paying her claimants in full.  
The Wesleyan Church and the United Methodist Church of England and the Methodist Church of Australia pay the full claim, and the Presbyterian Church has already secured four millions of a ten million dollar endowment. The Protestant Episcopal Church is seeking ten millions, as are

also the Congregationalists. The Southern Methodists and Presbyterians and others are doing the same.

He said in part:—  
"They have not on the average a comfortable support. Proved by the fact that while the Discipline fixed the minimum claim of a Retired Minister at one-half of the average salary of the Preachers in the effective ranks of the ministry, the Church is paying, but sixty cents on a dollar of this legal claim."

"They need a comfortable support. They were poor when they entered the ministry. Education was costly, expenses on circuits and stations heavy, a library must be secured, the wife and children must have what other wives and children had, the needy to be helped, the church and benevolences to be supported, so many claims and the average salary small and sometimes not paid in full. They come to their retirement with little saved to take care of their loved ones and themselves. Poor on entering the ministry, poor on retiring."

"They are worthy of a comfortable support. They plowed the furrow, sowed the seed, and the church is reaping today the harvest. Parsonages, churches, hospitals, colleges are the results of their labors. Material riches have been added to the Church, but best of all spiritual riches have been added. Their greatest work was in leading men and women and children to Christ. Because they have led people to Christ, shepherded the living, comforted the mourning, buried the dead, helped the needy, they are worthy of a comfortable support."

"Let the Church that they have so enriched make them comfortable in their old age. Pay every dollar of their just claim and make their last days their best days. Much will be said about them and done for them when they are dead. But post mortem kindness does not cheer the troubled spirit. Flowers on the coffin cast no fragrance backward over life's weary way. Give them the flowers now!"

The campaign is being carried on under the direction of the Commission on Preachers' Aid Funds, appointed by the New Hampshire Annual Conference, assisted by the executive officers of the General Board of Conference Claimants, Chicago.

Commission on Preachers' Aid—Roscoe Sanderson, President, Hampton, N. H.; William Warren, Vice President, Manchester, N. H.; William Ramsden, Secretary, New Market, N. H.; Al Large—Edgar Blake, Chicago; O. S. Baketel, New York; E. C. B. Dorion, Boston.

Concord District—Adolphus T. Infield, Tilton, N. H.; I. C. Brown, Franklin, N. H.; E. M. Heard, Laconia, N. H.; Dover District—T. R. Hicks, Dover, N. H.; W. J. Wilkins, Methuen, Mass.; J. T. Davis, Portsmouth, N. H.; Manchester District—G. B. Thomas, Manchester, N. H.; W. H. Tinker, Nashua, N. H.

# TO FEDERALIZE MILITIA THE OBJECT OF NEW BILL

Washington, Feb. 11.—Acting on the suggestion of Chairman Chamberlain of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, the executive committee of the National Guard Association has prepared a comprehensive bill for the federalization of the militia. This measure goes far beyond merely providing pay, and therefore supercedes the so-called "militia pay bill." It will be presented upon the committees of Congress by the guard, and, as present indications point, perhaps by the President himself.

In a statement today, Major General J. Clifford Foster, chairman of the executive committee of the National Guard Association, and one of the authors of the bill, declares it to be "the most comprehensive piece of militia legislation which has been proposed in recent years. It presents the views and opinions of the National Guard as to what should be done, and clearly shows their willingness to meet any reasonable requirements of the Government and their desire to be federalized to the full extent consistent with the provisions of the Constitution."

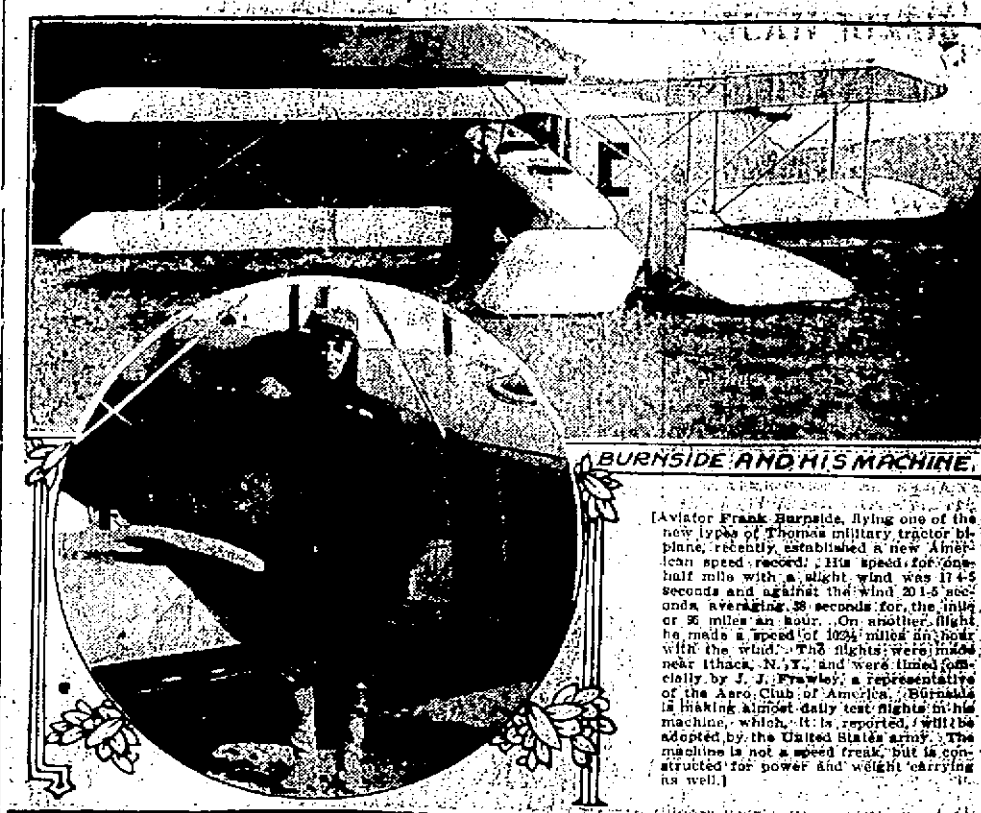
"This is not a condition of service which is being imposed upon the National Guard. It is what they have believed to be necessary, and have advocated for years, for, as it is well known, every bit of legislation giving Federal supervision to the militia has been initiated by the guard itself, whose members have always desired to fit themselves for Federal service in time of war and have believed that

themselves available and enrolled for that service, and still do.

"The dictum of those who are endeavoring to impose upon the country a system of conscription that the National Guard cannot be made an effective force for national defense is being echoed by many whose new-born enthusiasm for 'preparedness' and whose worshipful respect for the opinions of the 'experts' has dulled their powers of analysis. The sober judgment of the American people will in the end prevail, however, and it will be seen that there is no defect in the militia system which Congress has not the full power to correct under the authority given by the Constitution. The same judgment will register disapproval of those influences which, while professing dependence upon a system of volunteer military service, have maligned and assailed the only element in the country which for years by practical means sought to keep alive a military spirit among our people and who have given unsparingly of their time and efforts to the maintenance of a force of citizen soldiers."

Provisions of Bill  
The bill deals in detail with the four functions of Federal control recognized under the Constitution, viz: Organization, armament, discipline (which includes training) and Government. Its provisions provide the means for curing all of the defects which have been pointed out at the War Department, and include a uniform system for the selection and appointment of

# NEW MILITARY BIPLANE, DRIVEN BY BURNSIDE, BREAKS AMERICAN RECORDS



BURNSIDE AND HIS MACHINE.

commissioned officers and a method for eliminating the inefficient; prescribe a standard of physical and professional qualifications; fix the tenure of office and term of enlistment; make provision for a reserve system; specify the quota of troops to be furnished by each state within a given number of years and give the President the right to draft and organize the militia in any state which may fail to raise a volunteer force, if he deems it proper to do so. The bill establishes a uniform system of courts-martial for the National Guard and makes that force subject to the articles of war, and it denies to any state the right to maintain troops other than as authorized under the proposed act, or to disband any unit of the militia which has been armed and equipped and enjoyed the benefits of Federal support except with the consent of the President. It provides for the abolishment of the National Militia Board and would create a militia division of the general staff, to be composed of National Guard officers whose duty it shall be to recommend to the Secretary of War policies for the benefit and improvement of the National Guard.

Training for Boys of Twelve  
In addition to the features dealing with the National Guard are many important provisions of a general character. One may be accepted as a direct answer to the contention of the War Department that nothing can be done by the Federal Government to provide military training for boys under eighteen years of age because the school system of the country is not subject to national supervision. Without imposing a compulsory system of training, and with the express provision that actual military service will not be exacted of those under eighteen years of age, the bill proposes a comprehensive plan of training for boys between the ages of twelve and eighteen years as a part of the militia system, giving the boys the distinctive designation of Junior Guard. The plan for the organization of this class goes into the details of training which, to use the language of the bill, is designed to "develop the physical standard of the youth of the country and to inculcate in them at an early age habits of promptness and obedience, an understanding and appreciation of the institutions of our Government and a patriotic sense of the obligations of citizenship." This is believed to be one of the strongest features of the bill, and provides a uniform system for the detail of instructors, thus affording a sound basis for development under state supervision.

Another important provision of the bill provides a plan for the establishment and maintenance of rifle ranges in all sections of the country; for the detail of instructors and for supplying the use of rifles and ammunition in training the citizenry of the country in the use of the military arm of the nation.

Kennebunk Beach  
Hotel Destroyed  
Kennebunkport, Me., Feb. 11.—Mineral Spring House, a summer hotel built at Kennebunk beach in 1890 and containing 47 rooms, was burned early today, together with its contents. It was owned by L. S. Edgcomb of Kennebunk, whose loss was estimated at \$15,000. There is \$7000 insurance. Surrounding property was saved with aid from here and Kennebunk.

Four drunks and four lodgers were registered on the blotter at the police station at midnight.

A little more snow will be acceptable to the horsemen who are looking forward to some more snow racing.

# GAS, HEARTBURN, INDIGESTION OR A SICK STOMACH

"Pape's Diapiesin" ends all  
stomach distress in five  
minutes.

Time! Pape's Diapiesin will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach surely within five minutes.

If your meals don't sit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion. Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapiesin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapiesin" to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.

# TO RESTOCK WOODS WITH QUAIL

Ten Dozen Received to Be Released and With Proper Protection.

Concord, Feb. 11.—The state fish and game commission received today, ten dozen bob white quail, which are to be kept until about April 1, and then liberated when the vigorous weather subsides. Four dozen of the quail were turned over to Frank Moulton of Maple street by Fred S. Johnson of the department and a similar number to Mitchell King, custodian of the state arsenal on Bridge street. John P. George has two dozen in his place on North Main street.

The quail were shipped from Yarmouth, Pa., and every bird of the ten dozen was alive and in good condition when they reached here, a remarkable fact. A few years ago, a local man bought two dozen quail which were sent from Chicago and when the birds arrived, ten of them were dead.

# U. S. COLLIER TO TAKE MEDICINE TO PALESTINE

Central Relief Committee Appeals to Secretaries Lansing and Daniels

After a conference between Secretary of State Lansing, Secretary of the Navy Daniels and Mr. Albert L. Jones, executive Secretary of the Central Jewish Relief Committee yesterday, (Wednesday) in Washington, the U. S. government consented to send medicine to Palestine on a U. S. collier.

Heartrending appeals, having come from Palestine for medicine and the Central Relief Committee learning that there was practically not an ounce of medicine of any kind and especially that there was no quinine in the whole country, the committee put their information with Mr. Jacob H. Schiff, treasurer of the American Red

Cross Society to find means to send a supply. After Mr. Schiff had arranged with the American Red Cross to send the necessary medicine and ship it to Palestine via Rotterdam, it was learned that it was impossible to obtain a permit from the British ambassador at Washington to enable the Red Cross to send relief supplies of any kind into German territory or that of her allies.

By the intervention of Mr. Louis S. Gottlieb, representative of the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society of America, Mr. Lansing and Mr. Daniels received Mr. Lucas, who had a very cordial and lengthy interview with these officials yesterday. Mr. Lucas explained the situation in Palestine with reference to the absence of medical supplies and they consented to place at the disposal of the Central committee a U. S. collier to carry such medicine to the Mediterranean port. The collier will sail on February 15.

# CONFERENCE AT ST. JOHN'S

The Rt. Rev. Edward M. Parker, the Bishop of New Hampshire, will hold a conference with the clergy of the Portsmouth district in St. John's Church on Monday and Tuesday next. This conference will take place on Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning and is for the Bishop and clergy only.

On Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock there will be a public service in St. John's Church with several speakers, to which all persons interested are invited.

A corporate Communion of the Bishop and clergy will be held on Tuesday morning at half-past seven. The Rector of St. John's hopes that his people will gladly open their homes in hospitality to the visiting clergy and will notify Mr. John S. Rose, Pearl St., if they can accommodate any of the clergy from Monday noon till Tuesday afternoon.

The Vestry will meet in the Church on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock to make final arrangements for the conference and the rector hopes every member will be present, and also any other members of the parish who may wish to entertain the clergy, provided they may not have already made these arrangements with the Senior Warden Mr. Rose.

# YALE'S LAST BIG PROM

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 11.—A strain of sadness has run through the gorgeous annual Junior Promenade week at Yale on account of the news that this will be the last big prom for several years.

Thus is the policy of preparedness brought home forcefully to the prom girls. The Yale students thought they were doing their share for preparedness when they organized the Yale Battery and the Yale Aviation Corps.

But now they will have to give up the social event so far as its present size is concerned, because of an agreement between President Hadley and the military authorities of the state that Yale will not again be for the use of the Second Regiment Armory, where for years the dance has taken place. No hall in the city approximates the size of the armory.

The state authorities have taken the stand that the draft of the various military companies must not again be interfered with for the "prom" ball. Then for the week following local organizations who want to reap the advantage of the \$6,000 decorations put up by the "prom" committee have all ways been closed.

Hereafter the Yale event will have to be curtailed at least a half to fit any of the other halls.

# FORMAL ACTION TOWARDS B. & M. REORGANIZATION

Boston and Lowell, and Fitchburg Directors Propose Plan—Chairman Knowlton Scores New Hampshire Legislature

Boston, Feb. 12.—As a means of ameliorating the severity of the assessment on Boston & Maine stock, in connection with a contemplated extension of the road's notes, it has been proposed that banking loans be made, at least to the minority stockholders who may not be able to pay the entire assessment at once.

Stockholders subscribing to the assessment could pay their entire subscription at once or pay \$5 per share and borrow the balance from the banking syndicate, at interest, say for one year, at stockholders' could assign their subscription (assessment) rights.

Payment of the assessment, sufficient at least eventually to retire floating debt of the Boston & Maine, would of course insure new preferred stock (probably 6 per cent) going to the subscriber with a bonus of common stock of the same amount.

Following the meeting of the directors of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corp., it was officially stated: "Directors of the Boston & Lowell considered and approved the principles of a plan of reorganization of the Boston & Maine Railroad and consolidation between it and such of its leased lines as may be able and willing to join therein. They also voted to send out a circular letter to their stockholders advising them of the action of the board, which is conditional on a similar approval by the board of the Fitchburg Railroad."

Directors of the Fitchburg Railroad have taken similar action. The extension of Boston & Maine notes will be for 3 months at 6 per cent discount.

The proposed plan for the reorganization of the Boston & Maine is approved by the board of directors Friday, provided for an assessment of not over \$10 per share.

Chairman Knowlton, of the board of trustees filed a strong dissent to the proposed plan and trustee Doherty, while of opinion corresponding in many particulars with Judge Knowlton, decided to vote with the majority.

The reorganization plan, specifies for purchase or consolidation of the leased lines of the Boston & Maine, to be accomplished through issue of "first preferred stock" of the Boston & Maine par for par, bearing dividend rates equal to those now received by such leased lines.

In his dissenting opinion on the Boston & Maine reorganization plan, Judge

Knowlton says in part:

As yet no law legislation permitting consolidation has been enacted in New Hampshire. If relief is not forthcoming it will probably be necessary to obtain it through a receivership.

The leased-line rentals are much larger than can be earned by most of the not all of the several railroads under existing conditions. In reference to the duty and ability to meet its obligations the corporation is insolvent today. The corporation, as a corporation, cannot go and perform its public duties and pay these rentals.

The plan proposed requires stockholders to make contributions either in taking and paying for preferred stock or making a direct money contribution or by giving up a quarter of their stock. It leaves all the leased lines to receive their present rentals without diminution, if they are earned; before the common stockholders can receive anything. This seems to me to be a public bill at the expense of one of the parties, with a small chance of receiving returns and giving all of the advantages to the other party. It is giving up in advance the only thing which to my mind has ever constituted an important reason for reorganization.

Bankers and brokers would find some financial convenience in the combination of all 25 corporations, one, but that has always seemed to me a minor consideration.

I think it right that the common stockholders should contribute towards the payment of the floating debt by paying for preferred stock to be issued for that purpose or otherwise, and that the leased lines in a reorganization should be guaranteed, as preferred claims in the way of dividends, or otherwise, rentals that should be a large proportional part of their present rentals, if enough is earned to pay them, and that the income beyond this amount should be shared between them and the common stockholders in such a way as to give each party an equitable proportion until the leased lines receive the full amount of their present rentals.

The practical question seems to be: Shall this relief be sought now, or shall the burden be fastened upon the stockholders of the Boston & Maine Railroad by a reorganization which will leave them with no chance of dividend except in times of great and unusual prosperity?

# FORTY CENT GASOLINE IS THOUGHT PROBABLE

Boston, Feb. 11.—The claim has been made that in spite of the 100 per cent increase in the price of gasoline during the past year or so, gasoline remains relatively speaking, the cheapest thing used in the operation of a car. Some interesting figures prepared by the Cunningham-Graham Co. shed light on this subject, and explain why 40-cent gasoline is a nearly possibility.

A canvass of eight representative motor car manufacturers indicates that 14 miles to the gallon of gasoline is a fair average. Assuming 10,000 miles as an average season's mileage, the gasoline consumption for the season would be 715 gallons, costing \$132.05 at 27 cents a gallon. On the supposition that a car of tires will carry a car 5000 miles, which is the maker's full guarantee, two complete sets of shoes and tubes would be required each season, at a total average cost of \$224. Thus the comparison favors gasoline.

In the oil trade 40-cent gasoline is before June is regarded as highly probable. There were 2,075,000 cars licensed in 1915, including pleasure and commercial vehicles. Assuming that 10 per cent of these will be scrapped and that 1,200,000 new cars will be manufactured, there will be 2,350,000 motor driven vehicles on the roads in 1916. Five hundred gallons is probably a conservative estimate of the average annual consumption, so that motor cars alone will consume 1,175,000,000 gallons of gasoline in 1916. On this basis the consumption by cars licensed last year was 1,037,000,000 gallons, while that used for purposes other than the propulsion of motor cars amounted to 400,000,000 gallons. Adding this latter amount to that which motor cars may be expected to use during the current year we have an estimated aggregate consumption for 1916 of 1,575,000,000 gallons, which is in excess of the total capacity of the United States.

The gasoline situation is a nutshell in this: Neither the supply of crude petroleum nor the refining capacity of the country is equal to the consumption.

Gasoline has not advanced nearly so fast as the price of crude. Oklahoma oil, for example, has risen 300 per cent or more, while locally gasoline has just about doubled. Recent figures give the production of the mid-continent fields as follows:

	Barrels
Caddo	39,000
Electra	18,000
Kansas & Oklahoma, outside of	200,000
Cushing	78,000

These figures are for the last week in January, and show a total decline of 15,000 barrels per day. The shrinkage was almost wholly in Oklahoma, and may be largely attributed to Cushing. This field, which was producing 300,000 barrels per day a year ago, has since declined to 13,000 barrels.

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles have yielded to Dr. J. C. Oatman's

Orange, N. J., Feb. 12.—Mrs. Thomas A. Edison, wife of the inventor, is leading a fight of the Women's Club here to establish the "Orange Standard" or evening dress. The club women believe evening dresses often go too far these days in snipping off the top and of the bottom of ball gowns.

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## At the Anthracite Mines.

The anthracite coal companies of Pennsylvania have issued a statement to the public concerning the early termination of the agreement under which the miners are working. This agreement expires March 31, and the miners are preparing to ask for a substantial increase in wages and important concessions in other directions. The expiring agreement was brought about by the strike commission appointed by President Roosevelt, but it has been modified from time to time, all the changes being in favor of the miners, the last having been made in 1912.

The companies in their statement say that the coming negotiations will be of importance to the coal consuming public, for if the cost of producing anthracite is materially increased, as it must be if the new demands of the miners are met, the burden will fall upon consumers, as the operators are under all the expense they can stand without an increase in the price of their product.

The mine owners are laying the matter before the public with a knowledge of the fact that in a matter affecting so large a part of the people public sentiment counts for much in reaching a reasonable solution of the problem. While the public can have no direct voice in the negotiations, a general knowledge of the facts will result in a sentiment that must have weight. For this reason it is the purpose of the anthracite companies to lay all the facts in the case before the public, and the statement already published will be supplemented by others.

The companies say if the demand for an increase of 20 per cent in wages is granted it will mean an increase of \$23,000,000 a year in the cost of anthracite coal to consumers; that the average mine is not paying large profits; that the wages and working conditions of the miners will compare favorably with those in any similar industry.

The sum and substance of the matter is that if wages are increased coal consumers must stand the cost, according to the statement of the operators. The demands of the miners and the reasons behind them will come before the public in due time, and if the public will weigh the facts it will be in a position to judge of the merits of the case and to lend its influence in reaching a settlement that will be fair and just to all.

Among the alarmists stands Representative J. H. Davis of Texas, familiarly known as "Cyclone" Davis, but he is not worrying about the course of Germany. What he professes to fear is an invasion of the United States by Great Britain across the Canadian border, and he thinks it high time to stop sending arms and munitions abroad, as they are liable to be needed at home any day. One would suppose that the foreign nations had nothing to do but to "gun" for the United States, while the fact is that they have their hands full without taking on any further responsibilities.

Widespread indeed are the effects of the war. Old railroad ties are now in demand at five cents apiece for shipment abroad. Some reports say the ties are to be used to protect the sides of steamships while loading and unloading certain kinds of freight, while others say they are to be used in making trenches. Shipping old ties to Europe for use in trenches would be expensive business, but war is costly at best.

The suffragists are planning to hold a big parade in Chicago at the time of the Republican national convention in the hope of getting a plank favorable to their cause inserted in the platform. But it will be a poor time for the suffragists to work on the Republican leaders there assembled. The chief business of the convention will be sufficient to take their whole time and attention.

The Minnesota prohibitionists have placed the name of ex-Governor Foss of Massachusetts on their primary ballot as one of their candidates for president. It is very considerate on the part of a party that cannot elect to be so generous in the matter of nominations and "honorable mention."

General Edwards, in charge of military affairs in the canal zone, says much more is needed there in the way of defense. "The guns alone," he says, "are not merely a weakness—they are a positive danger to us in the event of war." No wonder the women of Maine are talking of engaging in drill.

Some one has figured out that civilization is to collapse in 2200. But at the present rate of progress it hardly seems as if the collapse could be so long deferred. In fact, there are some who are so pessimistic as to believe that it has already taken place.

The president is reported to be so well pleased with the success of his speaking tour that he may soon make another. It is clear that we are on the verge of the 1916 campaign, if it has not already opened.

## PROGRESSIVES SELECT THEIR DELEGATES

Ex-Gov. Bass Will Lead List  
—Harry K. Torrey an Alternative to the District Convention.

It affirming their belief in the fundamental principles which caused their break with the Republican party, but at the same time expressing a readiness to "subordinate more partisan issues" and declaring that "we shall not haggle over details nor recall past grievances" the Progressive state committee yesterday issued a statement in the conclusion of a meeting in the Hotel Harrington at Manchester, at which a complete list of delegates and alternates for the national convention was prepared.

### The Ticket:

Delegates at Large—Robert P. Bass, Peterborough; Winston Churchill, Concord; Benjamin W. Green, Goffstown; Frederick W. Shattell, Manchester. First District—Samuel O'Brien, Hollisford; Robert P. Johnston, Manchester. Second District—Willis G. Buxton, Portsmouth; Frank A. Musgrove, Dover.

### Alternates:

At Large—Charles W. Tobey, Temple; Robert P. Wolff, Berlin; Clarence J. Clough, Lebanon; Robert Paulsen, Keene. First District—Harry K. Torrey, Portsmouth; George W. Clyde, Hudson. Second District—A. C. Noyes, Berlin; John Langdon, Milford.

This statement outlines the progressive position relative to the new issues which have arisen because of the war, favoring a constructive foreign policy, believing in a "vibrant Americanism" in foreign relations which would insure safety to Americans wherever they may travel, and believing in a "preparedness which spells peace."

It was said at the close of the meeting which was attended by about 30 that the consensus of opinion among the committee favored Roosevelt, and that if the Republicans nominated him the Progressives would do likewise.

The meeting did not get under way until late in the forenoon, and adjournment was not taken until two o'clock. Despite this, most of the committee members remained through the entire session lunchless.

The gathering was similar to those being held in all states with progressive organizations. A decision to hold them was reached at a recent meeting of the national committee in Chicago when it was decided that the committee members go home and see to it that their state be fully represented.

The meeting was presided over by the chairman, National Committee-man, William Savacool.

Late in the afternoon, ex-Governor Robert P. Bass filed for Concord for delegate-at-large. Mr. Green has already filed. The declaration follows: "We Progressives left our political brethren of the old parties in order to form a new party because of our faith in certain fundamental principles of government. We are today more than ever uncompromisingly devoted to these principles but we are ready to cooperate with the members of any other political party in order to carry out these principles. We are ready to subordinate mere partisan issues to the end. We shall not haggle over details nor recall past grievances."

"Since the last campaign, paramount issues of national importance have developed out of the great war in Europe. With respect to these issues we believe it our duty to state our position."

"We believe that our country should pursue a constructive foreign policy whereby we shall stand in the councils of the nations as a firm friend of peace but not the less an effective contender for righteousness."

"We believe in cherishing a vibrant Americanism in our foreign relations to the end that every peaceable and self-respecting American wherever he may travel will be guaranteed his heritage of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

"We believe in that preparedness which spells peace—not peace at any price but that peace which comes to a people who are ready for war before they will surrender unalterable principles of honor and righteousness. So we believe in an army and a navy which will guarantee us against foreign invasion."

"Only by uniting on a man whose convictions and personality square with the principles herein expressed do we believe it possible for the Progressive and Republican parties to elect the next President of the United States and therefore in no partisan spirit we await coming events, hopeful that without abandoning one single principle of yielding one single jot of our cause, we may be enabled to make effective our devotion to America first."

The cold weather of the past few days has caused ice to form to a good thickness and ice cutting has been resumed at a number of the ponds in the adjoining town of Hye.



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## PEOPLES' OPINION

### Praise for Col. Marvin

Editor:

The story of the part played by the Kearsarge Fire Company at the great Boston fire of 1872, as told by Col. T. B. O. Marvin to the readers of your papers has been commended in no uncertain manner by a large reading public. Perhaps no man is better qualified to explain the many incidents and details of this fire than our genial and versatile ex-mayor, Col. Marvin, in his younger days and particularly while serving as mayor of our city, was very much interested in and took an active part in everything that pertained to the welfare of Portsmouth. The writer remembers well the urgent call for assistance that came from Boston on that memorable day. A big fire in those days created unusual excitement, and upon the receipt of the call the people generally became unnecessarily excited. The mayor caught the situation at a glance and by encouraging words kept the excitement at a minimum.

If my memory serves me right, all the local fire companies volunteered for this duty, doing so with a distinct knowledge that the duty would be extremely dangerous. The mayor, however, after due consideration, decided to send the Kearsarge Company and the result of his deliberation and decision is now a matter of history that has from that day up to the present, reflected very creditably upon his wisdom and upon our city.

What the Mayor does did has been fully discussed of late and there is, therefore, no occasion to discuss the event to any greater extent. I might elaborate what has been said—that the boys acted like true soldiers. Every command given by Mayor Marvin was complied with unhesitatingly. The flames showed the result of perfect organization. It required super-human efforts to save the Old South Church. Col. Marvin did well to come to the rescue of the local firemen when their historic part of the work was being unassailed. By reason of his active participation and familiarity of the events that day he was able to make clear some of the points in question.

There were many interesting inci-

dents that could be related in connection with the fire. Their publication, no doubt would be read by our citizens because of the active part taken at the fire. It is hoped that some reminiscences will be published.

PIONEER RESIDENT

### A BEAUTIFUL POEM

The following beautiful poem, published in Zion's Herald was written by John True Davis of this city:

### AT EVENING TIME IT SHALL BE LIGHT

The western sky is all aglow,  
The hills in order stand  
Like stately sentinels to close the day,  
Fulfilling God's command.  
A cloud above the sky appears,  
As if some magic wand  
Had summoned forth a canvas, fit  
To serve the Master's hand.  
Unseen the hand that deftly guides  
The brush of sunset rays;  
Such wondrous shadings, light, and  
forms  
No human skill displays.  
Through rifted cloud celestial light  
Comes streaming from afar,  
As if some heavenly hand  
Had left the gates ajar.  
Is this the way the angels pass  
In ministering to men?  
Is there my abiding place  
And heaven within my ken?  
Even so it seems an evening still  
The vision fades away,  
The twilight comes, the afterglow,  
And thus the end of day.  
If God no marks the dying day  
With promise of the dawn,  
An earnest of the glory that  
Shall light the coming morn;  
Shall we not confidently say,  
As life's day yields to night,  
The sun of righteousness appears,  
At evening time 'tis light?

### AGED FARMER KILLED FOR HIS MONEY

Mainfield, Feb. 12.—Richard Wycocks, an aged farmer and his housekeeper Catherine Fisher were found murdered in their home on the Soland Mountain Ridge road today. The man's head had been crushed with an axe and the woman's throat cut. Robbery was the motive.

## THE DAILY NEWSPAPER

EVERY YEAR EVERY MONTH EVERY DAY

### THE JEWELER'S EXPERIMENT

A large jewelry manufacturing concern recently began to experiment with newspaper advertising. A middle western city was chosen for the try-out, and within a week a large number of new dealers had been secured.

The jewelers knew that the article was good. They knew that as soon as the advertising appeared in the newspapers, demand would be knocking at their store doors.

They were quick to act on self interest dictated. Newspaper advertising not only stimulates consumer demand, but it forces the dealer to quick co-operation.

Belittle facts on this subject have been compiled under the heading, "The Dealer and His Friends," which will be sent on request by the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers Association, World Building, New York.

## CURRENT OPINION

Drain of War Not So Great  
as the Loss of Child Life  
in England.

Which is the greater—the drain of war or the drain of peace? In an intelligent and well organized nation the question would be ridiculous, but we are not an intelligent and well organized nation.

The drain of war is shown by the figures just published. We have lost 100,000 men killed in the war. If we take for the purpose of comparison the first year of war we had under arms in that period 3,000,000 men. Seventy-five thousand men were killed. It is the military tradition that a country is defeated when it loses 20 per cent of its men. We have lost only 2½ per cent.

Take the other side. Of the 800,000 babies born in England every year 100,000 die before they are one year old. This means dirty milk or no milk at all—slums, bad food and ignorance. We lose 100,000 before one year of age; we drop another 200,000 before they reach the age of fifteen, just when they are becoming industrial producers and available for military service.

That is 37½ per cent. destroyed in peace for the 2½ per cent. destroyed by the whole German army firing shot and shell at them.—By George Bernard Shaw, Author and Dramatist.

## THE HERALD HEARS

That the Presidential primaries are nearly at hand.

That this important election will be held four weeks from next Tuesday.

That Dover is to have a real Sunset League this summer.

That we might write the Coebee city champions to play the winners in the local league at the end of the season.

That the tax rate for the year of 1915 may be a little less—may be.

That Mike Brown, known on the stage as Mike Bernard, went 50-50 with his wife on a pair of pajamas.

That his wife, who was Florence Courtney, sued him for divorce on that account in New York.

That witnesses told Judge Brainerd that the husband had one half and the wife the other.

That a half of a loaf is better than none, at any time, but a half of a pajama suit would be all right in certain seasons.

That Bernard and his better half should have arranged for wearing the whole rig, each at specified periods.

That the attachments now on the material of the R. B. Phillips Company, amount to \$25,000.

That everybody connected with the Portsmouth hospital is on the the jump.

That the playground will soon need some new apparatus for the children.

That if the medical instructions in some schools keep up, scholars will know more about their liver than about grammar and other studies.

That the Dover shoe shops are hunting around for more help.

That the old city almshouse is still with us and is free to anyone who will start an industry there.

That the founding of the police unit to dislodge a fish home in the throat of Miss Ellen McAniff in its rush to the hospital, thereby saving her life.

That the driver of the Lynn hurry-up had better be careful when he has a load of jars or they may spill their load.

That the heavy fine for peddling without a license in this city does not seem to stop some of the traders in small wares from taking a chance.

That the baseball diamond on the playground will need considerable attention this year before the nuptial cries out, "Play Ball!"

That the friends of a South End resident say he has stripped his chamber of all but the bed in his efforts to wing the feline race during their midnight concerts in his back yard.

That with all the bombardment, there are not dead cats reported in the neighborhood, up to date.

That the stovepipe committee of the Boston and Maine are out once more with surprises that never come.

## NAVY YARD NOTES

### May Sell the Topoka

Owing to the great demand for merchant marine, it is thought likely that the navy department may dispose of the former prison ship Topoka by public sale. The vessel would no doubt bring a good figure to the government just at present.

### Hector on the Way

The collier Hector is expected to arrive next week with coal, and after discharging enough of the cargo to fill the pocket here, the ship will proceed to Boston to discharge the remainder.

### To Sail on Sunday

The Vulcan is expected to get away from the yard for Newport News on Sunday.

### Shipments Made Today

The shipment of manufactured articles from the yard today included twelve sets of sails and twelve sets of rigging for cutters, at Annapolis; electrical fittings and castings for Boston and New York. The collier Vulcan will take shipments of large tanks, electrical fittings and blocks to the Norfolk yard for the U. S. S. Pennsylvania.

### Five Try for Messenger

Five boys took the examination for

## FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AFTER PUTNAM

(Special to The Herald)

New York, Feb. 12.—A country-wide search was begun today by government authorities for Dr. John Grant Putnam, notorious swindler, whose latest operation as a broker under the name of John H. Putnam, netted him close to \$400,000. The federal officials have cabled the British government to arrest Putnam in case he is on the liner battle, which sailed last Saturday for England. He came to New York six months ago at a time when he was being hunted, and opened a brokerage office in the financial district under the name of John H. Putnam.

## CONGRESS PAYS TRIBUTE TO LINCOLN

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Feb. 12.—Without regard to political lines or doctrine, congress today paid sincere tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln. Eulogies on his life were delivered by many members including Representative Roderick of Illinois. In accordance with the custom of many years, Lincoln's Gettysburg address was read in the house by Representative Russell of Missouri.

### PERSONALS

Judge Ernest L. Guphill is confined to his home on Pleasant street with a severe cold.

Miss Agnes Butler of the Arlington district, Lawrence, Mass., has been the recent guest of relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Batchelder of Little Boar's Head have returned from a visit with Mrs. Kimball at Swanscott, Mass.

### LOCAL DASHES

The district nurse at the present time, is about the hardest working woman in the city. There is an exceptionally large amount of illness.

The officers of the Army and Navy Association who have in hand the erection of the home on Daniel street, are meeting with considerable success in their campaign for funds. The plans of the home indicate that it will be a very fine building.

### HIS FIRST APPEARANCE

Inspector Charles H. Quinn of Portsmouth, the newly appointed excise inspector, made his first appearance before the commission, at the meeting today.—Concord Patriot.

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Salt Pork	9 lbs. \$1.00
Corn Shoulder	12 lbs. 1 lb.
Pure Lard	2 lbs. 25c
Fancy Sirloin Steak	25c lb.
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## DIVING GIRLS LAST APPEARANCE

FOUR "MAIDS OF THE MIST"  
CLOSE THEIR ACT HERE AT  
THE COLONIAL THEATRE  
THIS EVENING.

This evening will be the last opportunity to see the fine swimming and diving exhibition being given at the Colonial Theatre by the four pretty girls billed as "The Maids of the Mist." At the theatre last evening they made a tremendous hit with their act and it was acknowledged by the big audience to be one of the best performances of its kind. Francis Murray, Eva Lewin, Laura Murray and Irene LaMar occupied the stage for twenty minutes last evening, demonstrating the various strokes used by the big swimmers and many difficult and interesting diving stunts. Their act was a feature that will not be quickly forgotten.

Mr. Stanley and Miss Howe also scored heavily with their clever and amusing numbers, the audience being more than satisfied with the "quality" program presented by the management.

"The Moth and the Star," next to the last episode of the Stinger series, came in for its usual share of interested attention. Stinger, the likable hero of these wonderful stories, is gaining new friends every week and many will regret the ending of the series. The George Ade fable picture kept the audience laughing from its start to its close.

## GAVE HER ONLY BREAD AND BUTTER

Mrs. Brewster Wants Divorce  
—Husband 41 and She 18  
When Married.

Mrs. Annie Brewster, married at West Ossipee February 21, 1905, told Judge Connolly of the Maine superior court on Friday, that her husband deserted her within two months after marriage and gave her only bread and butter to live on. This was part of her plea for separation from Charles O. Brewster of Jefferson, N. H. She was but 18 years of age when married. Brewster was 41.

### STORER POST ATTENTION I

Comrades  
Having received an invitation from Winfield Scott Schley, Chap. No. 4, United Spanish War Veterans, to unite with the Camp in their annual Maine Memorial Services at the Middle Street Baptist church, Sunday evening Feb. 13th, 1916, at 7.30. All comrades are requested to attend in uniform.

M. H. BELLE, Com.  
L. T. Burnham, Adj.

## BIG ENGLISH ARMY IN EGYPT

Massing of Troops Going On  
—Lord Kitchener May  
Take Command.

(Special to The Herald)

London, Feb. 12.—A mighty army is being massed in Egypt by England and the First South African Infantry brigade which arrived in Egypt a fortnight ago, has been sent to the Suez Canal. It is believed that a good part of the British troops withdrawn from the Dardanelles are now in Egypt. Reports that Lord Kitchener will be sent to take command of the English forces, will not do.

## KITTERY

A delightful surprise party was given on Friday evening at the home of the late Mr. Walker at his home at the junction on Friday evening, the occasion being the 19th anniversary of his birth. Twenty-five persons were present. The evening was enjoyably passed in playing games of all sorts. Refreshments were served consisting of ice cream, assorted cake, fancy crackers and hot cocoa. During the evening Mr. Walker was presented a handsome set of gold cuff links and an umbrella. At a late hour the guests departed for their various homes, wishing the young host many happy returns of the day.

Many from Kittery are planning to attend the Serbian relief meeting at the Colonial theatre, Portsmouth, on Sunday afternoon. There will be an illustrated lecture at 3 o'clock and music will be furnished by the Naval band.

Mrs. Alfred Higgins of Rogers Road has returned from a visit with Mrs. George Terry of Kittery, N. H.

Fred W. Maly of Love Lane, master electrician at the local navy yard, left today for the Brooklyn, N. Y., yard where he has been ordered for study and instruction concerning the new Edison storage battery which will later be installed on the submarine L-5 now being constructed here.

Trapp Academy will close on Friday, Feb. 18, for a week's vacation.

The many friends in town of County Y. M. C. A. Secretary C. F. Hosmer of Kennebunk will be sorry to learn that on account of illness he has been obliged to give up his duties. His work will be carried on by another man.

Mrs. William P. Buelin pleasantly entertained the Riverside Reading Club on Friday afternoon at her home on Wentworth street.

Samuel Edwards is restricted to his home on Main street by a severe cold. Little Miss Helen Sweet of Manson avenue is somewhat improved from her illness.

Following the regular meeting of Kittery Grange on Friday evening a Valentine social was enjoyed. Various games were participated in and refreshments were served.

The S. V. Club was very pleasantly entertained on Friday evening by Miss Christine Phillips at her home at Kittery point. Miss Bernice Phillips presided at the piano. During the evening refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Dorothy Rumbert of Portsmouth was a visitor in town today.

The drama entitled "The Vernal Explosion," given by Portsmouth talent at the First Methodist church, North Kittery, on Friday evening, was largely attended. There was also a fine musical program given which included vocal, piano and violin solos, selections by a quartet and several monologues.

Mrs. Hattie Pierce remains about the same at her home in North Kittery. Master Francis, son of Chief Carpenter and Mrs. Frank M. Smith, of Whipple road, who has been seriously ill, is very much improved.

Second Christian church, Sunday.

Feb. 13.—10.30 a. m., preaching, sermon: "Pioneers for Christ," by Mr. Alexander Graham of Boston; 12 m., Sunday school, Barre and Philathea classes; 6 p. m., Christian Endeavor, subject: "The Consecration of Influence," Heb. 10:19-25; Consecration meeting; leaders, Mrs. F. L. Donnell and Miss Grace Tufts; 7 p. m., preaching, subject: "The Way to God," by Mr. Graham.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cholek of Love Lane, a son on Friday, at the Portsmouth hospital.

Messrs. Hollis Cole and Winfield Sprague of this town, were among those who took the Civil service examination today at Portsmouth for the position of messenger boy at the navy yard.

At Sugarc's—Chocolate covered cherries, 53c per pound box. Nicot goods.

Landers' Orchestra of six pieces has been engaged to furnish music for dancing at the 21st annual reunion of Kittery High School Alumni to be held on Monday evening, Feb. 21.

Second Methodist Church, William M. Forgrave, minister; Miss Bernice Gidden, organist—10 a. m., Sunday School in the vestry; the contest between the "Hustlers" and the "Rustlers" is on; on time 11 a. m., morning worship, the pastor will preach on the subject "The Problem of the Southland—the Negro"; special music by the choir; 3.30 p. m., the Junior League will meet in the vestry; all children between the age of 10 and 16 are invited; 6 p. m., vesper service, the popular Sunday evening meeting; place; subject: "The Moor Murder Trial vs. Fair Play." Special music by the chorus choir and a solo by Mrs. Austin Grogins with violin obligato by Mr. E. Herger; 6 p. m., Epworth League will meet in the vestry, subject: "Mystery of the Minority's Might"; leader, Mrs. W. M. Forgrave. Tuesday evening at 7.30 in the vestry, Dr. J. M. Frost of Portland will assist in conducting the weekly prayer meeting which will be followed by the fourth quarterly business meeting of the church.

First Methodist Church, North Kittery—Sunday, Feb. 13.—Rev. H. C. McCann, pastor—10.45 a. m., preaching by the pastor; 12 m., Sunday school; 6 p. m., preaching.

In Prince's Market ad in Friday's issue, the price of sirloin steak should have read 23 cents instead of 33 cents.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. A. I. Brown has returned from a visit in Staceyville, Maine.

T. McAdams and John Murphy of Dover were visitors here on Saturday.

President John K. Bates is attending the Bankers' convention at Concord.

Miss Helen Sargent of Boston is passing the week-end in this city with friends.

L. T. Duntley of Greenhead on Sunday will observe the 51th anniversary of his birth.

Miss Jennie E. Pinder left on Saturday for a visit with friends in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Cunningham of Haverhill, Mass., passed Friday night in this city.

Miss Annie Averill of Sanford, Me., has been the guest of relatives in this city the past week.

Charles C. Bruner left on Saturday for a visit at his former home at Greensburg, Indiana.

John B. Rice of Maplewood avenue on Saturday, reached another milestone in life's journey.

Mrs. D. C. Badger of Maplewood avenue who is at the Portsmouth hospital is reported as very much improved.

Miss Julia Galloway who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Everett J. Galloway in Dover returned home on Saturday morning.

Mrs. Philip Kuse of New Haven, Conn., who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Edith Moore, returned home on Saturday morning.

J. T. Coolidge who has been passing a few days at his summer home at Little Harbor, returned to Cambridge, Mass., on Saturday morning.

Miss Frances Wiggin who has been at the Portsmouth hospital for several weeks undergoing treatment was discharged from that institution on Friday.

Miss Helen Losanitch of Serbia, who is to lecture at the Colonial Theatre Sunday afternoon, arrived here this noon and is the guest of Mrs. L. H. Thayer.

Mrs. Edward S. Appleton of this city, who is at present the guest of her niece at Leonminster, Mass., on Saturday observed the 91st anniversary of her birth.

Mrs. Frank J. Brigham of Dedham, Mass., who has been at York Harbor the guest of Fremont Verrill, since the death of her husband, returned home on Saturday morning.

Mrs. John Sanford of State street and niece, Miss Ethel Sanford left on Saturday morning for Glen Cliff to pass the week-end with Mrs. Thomas H. Sanford who is there for her health.

Mrs. Blaisdell wife of Dr. Harry W. Blaisdell U. S. N., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Blaisdell of Langdon street returned to her home in Quincy, Mass., on Saturday morning.

## RUSSIANS START BIG DRIVE

On Three Different Points  
They Start Advance.

(Special to The Herald)

London, Feb. 12.—The arrival of Czar Nicholas at the front has been the signal for fresh assault by the Russians against the German and Austrian troops, says a dispatch from Petrograd. Attacks are being delivered by the Russian forces at three widely separated points on the long battle line. The zones of activity are on the Evina river north and south of Dvinsk, second in the Volynia (triangle) on the northeastern border of Galicia, third on the Bukovina frontier, north of Czerzow, particularly in the section of the Dulester river.

### "MAINE" MEMORIAL.

Program of Exercises to Be  
Held Under Auspices of  
Camp Schley.

The program for the Maine memorial which is to be held at the Middle Street Baptist church on Sunday evening, Feb. 13, at 7.30 o'clock, under the auspices of Winfield Scott Schley Camp, No. 4, United Spanish War Veterans, is as follows: Organ prelude. Opening hymn—"O Paradise," No. 1193. Responsive Service—Psalm 90. Anthem—"Lead Kindly Light," Buck Scripture Reading—Isaiah 46. Hymn—"Eternal Father, Strong to Save," No. 1205. Prayer.

Hymn—"Lord, while for all mankind we pray," No. 1205. Address—Past Commander W. H. Stevens, U. S. W. V. Anthem—"In the ground they are resting." Collin Coe Address—Rev. William P. Stanley. Hymn—"Battle Hymn of the Republic," No. 592. Address—Chaplain Bryan W. Scott, U. S. N. Hymn—"America," No. 1209. Benediction.

### SOUTHERY DEFEATED.

The basketball team of the U. S. S. Southery went to York on Friday evening where they were defeated in a fast and exciting game by the York Y. M. C. A. For the winners, Hancock and Adams excelled, while for the losers Cranmer played a star game. The summary:

York Y. M. C. A. U. S. Southery  
Hancock, 11 ..... 1b, Hammer  
Adams, 11 ..... 1b, Staten  
1b, Mulholland  
Holson, 1 ..... 1b, Cranmer  
Andrews, 1 ..... 1b, Darnett  
Ellis, 1 ..... 1b, Jasper  
Score, Y. M. C. A., 19, Southery, 16. Goals from floor, Hancock 3, Adams 2, Cranmer 2, Darnett, Jasper 2, Goals from foul, Andrews, Referee, Nollette, Seacer, Ramsdell, Timmer, Holland. Time, 10 minute periods.

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HARRY STANLEY—Singing and talk-  
ing comedian.

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which perform many difficult tricks.

## PICTURES

For Friday and Satur-  
day

"THE MOTH AND THE STAR"—  
Two-part Kalem drama. The next to  
the last episode in the "Stinger  
Series."

SELIG-TRIBUNE, NO. 9.

"A TELEGRAPHIC TANGLE"—Vila-  
graph comedy.

"THE FABLE OF SISTER MAY WHO  
DID AS WELL AS COULD BE EX-  
PECTED"—Geo. Ade-Essany com-  
edy.

## KITTERY POINT

The death of Mrs. Luther Lewis occurred at her home on the Harbor road early Friday morning. Mrs. Lewis sustained a paralytic shock about a week ago, and survived her husband by only two weeks. His death occurred January 29. In the death of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kittery Point loses two old and highly respected residents, who will long be remembered in the hearts of many. Mrs. Lewis was a member of the Free Will Baptist church for many years and although unable to attend services for a number of years, was always interested in the work of the church and during the year several cottage prayer meetings were held at her home, one being held there in January. She had a cheerful disposition and was ever willing and ready to help others and in her younger days was often called upon to nurse the sick, many depended upon her good judgment in all kinds of diseases. So greatly was she loved by all who knew her that she was called by many "Aunt Melissa." The sympathy of a large circle of friends is extended to her family in their double bereavement. Mrs. Lewis was 83 years of age.

Congregational Church  
11 a. m., Morning worship; sermon by the pastor.  
12, Sunday school; Miss Julia Duncan, superintendent.

First Christian Church  
11.45, Junior Christian Endeavor.  
12.30, Sunday school; Mrs. Laura Glawson, superintendent.

2 p. m., Afternoon service; sermon by the pastor Rev. Winfield Coffin. Text, Psalm, 1-1 and Matt 21-21. Subject, "A Decorated World."

6.15 p. m., Young People's meeting.

Free Baptist Church  
1 p. m., Sunday school; Mrs. Josephine Frisbee, superintendent.  
2 p. m., Sermon by the pastor, Rev. B. W. Cummings. Topic: "Lessons From the Life of Lincoln."

7 p. m., Union service, special music.

The topic at the morning service at the Congregational church will be "Lincoln Birthday: Observances." A special missionary offering will be taken.

The G. I. club of boys met with Roy Fernald on Thursday evening. Games were played and a good time enjoyed. The next meeting will be held on Feb. 17 with Gerald Staples.

A Valentine social will be held on Monday night, Feb. 14 at the vestry of the Baptist church. A Valentine box will be in order and all attending are requested to bring one or more cards.

Hon. Horace Mitchell has returned from a trip to Boston.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society which is connected with the First Christian church, was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Chas. Sawyer on Friday afternoon. A full attendance was present and an interesting talk on different workers in foreign lands was given by the different members. One new member was taken into the society, Miss Mildred Sawyer. The mite boxes were taken in, and a good collection received. Sandwiches

olives and cornballs were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Fred Libby passed Friday with friends in Portland.

Miss Ella Parker of North Kittery was the guest of Miss Adah Foye on Friday.

Mrs. Bertha Clarkson of Portsmouth visited friends in town on Friday.

Postmaster and Mrs. E. M. Frisbee passed Friday in Portland.

Mrs. Sherman Mitchell of Portsmouth passed Friday with her mother Mrs. Joseph Pruitt.

Mrs. Charles Trifton of York visited Mrs. Thurston Patch on Friday.

Mrs. Edith Manson and Mrs. Mabel Morse of Kittery were calling on the sick members of York Hebrew lodge in this part of the town on Friday afternoon.

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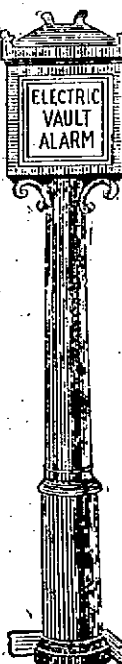
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# ALLIES KEEPING STEADY PRESSURE ON ALL LINES

**Germans Unable to Advance in Front of Belgium.  
--Artillery and Airship Bombardment Carried  
on Without Cessation.**

London, Feb. 11.—Bad weather, says the despatches, has kept up the German offensive on the Belgian front. There are no signs of a lessening in the intensity of the violent struggle which has been going on for several days in the vicinity of Vimy and Neuville, near the Belgian border, while farther south along the line there are signs of re-awakening activity on the part of both Germans and French. In Belgium there has been a notable artillery battle in progress during the past ten days near Ypres, but the opinion appears to prevail among military observers that the Germans have decided to postpone their predicted offensive until more favorable weather prevails. They are reported very busy, however, in strengthening their lines. Today's official statement from Berlin reports determined attempts by the French to retake the trenches they lost recently to the northwest of Vimy not far south of the Belgian border. Four successive assaults were fruitless, according to Berlin, the Germans retaking the position. South of the Somme the French also attempted to regain lost ground, but here, too, they were beaten off, it is declared. The official bulletin from Paris contains no mention of any fighting along the western front, declaring the night was barren of important developments.

On the Russian front the artillery play on the Riga-Dvinsk front is notably heavy in character, but the infantry does not appear to have been active. In Volhynia the Russians report a forward movement in the capture of a hill between the fortresses of Rovno and Lutsk, but the latest Austrian reports claim that Emperor Nicholas's troops have been held to their old positions in Galicia and on the Bessarabian frontier, despite their desperate attempts to advance.

**French Smash German Works**  
Paris, via London, Feb. 11.—The following official communication was issued by the war office:

"In Artois in the course of the day we continued to make progress by means of grenades in the underground passages west of La Folle. Two German attacks directed against our positions west of Hill 140 were completely repulsed.

"North of the road from Neuville to Thelus the Germans exploded a mine, the crater of which we occupied.

"South of the Somme a detachment of enemy infantry, which attempted to debouch, was driven back to the trenches by our curtain of fire.

"In the region of Beuvraignes our artillery destroyed a blockhouse and bombarded the encampments of the enemy.

"In Champagne a destructive fire on the German works in the direction of the Butte du Mesnil gave excellent results.

"In the Vosges we carried out, in the forest of Montmarie, on a salient of the enemy line a violent bombardment, which caused the explosion of munitions depots.

"The Germans today fired two more shells of heavy calibre in the direction of Belfort. Our artillery immediately took under its fire the emplacement of the enemy battery, which was marked yesterday. At the same time we shelled the military establishments at Dornach, southwest of Mulhausen."

**British Bomb Enemy's Huts**  
London, Feb. 11.—The British official communication issued says:

"Fifteen aeroplanes carried out a successful bombing raid yesterday on enemy huts at Terhand. Several huts were damaged and a steam locomotive was hit. All our machines returned safely. Some skirmishes between patrols took place last night east of Kemmel. Last night and today the hostile artillery has been active against Bray, Suzanne, Oylvers and Paquevillers. Early this morning the enemy sprang a mine northeast of Givenchy. No damage was done and we suffered no casualties.

"There was mutual shelling today south of the Bulsgröter. Hostile artillery shelled Poperinghe and Ekevidinghe today. Our artillery engaged an enemy battery west of St. Julien."

**Czerowitz Russian Goal**  
Petrograd, via London, Feb. 11.—The developments in the Galician campaign, which for a fortnight have been mentioned only briefly in the official statements, figure prominently in today's news. Considerable importance is attached to the occupation of Usciocko,

on the Pustet, near the Bukovina frontier, which now is securely in Russian hands. After successfully resisting energetic efforts of the Teutonic forces to break their lines, the Russians have now resumed the offensive. Their object is capture of Czerowitz, the capital of Bukovina, which it is thought would exert powerful influence on Roumania. Usciocko gives the Russians a new and important line of communication, and threatens the position of the Austrians in the region of Czerowitz. Capture of this town is regarded as a decided step in the direction of the Russian goal. The unusual accuracy and effectiveness of the Russian artillery is mentioned in all accounts of the fighting which is continuing vigorously on the Dvinsk front. The German advance guards, which have been attempting stubbornly to establish new positions, have been forced back repeatedly, while in the act of digging trenches. In their former lines, notwithstanding their persistent efforts, the line is approximately the same as that held by them last October.

**Russians Score at Other Points.**  
The statement issued by the Russian War Office last night is as follows:

"There have been an artillery duel and desultory rifle firing on the Riga front. Our artillery destroyed German works at several points. Southwest of Shlok at Kockinshen and on the Dvinsk at Kockinshen our artillery bombarded enemy positions successfully.

"In the Jacobstad district German artillery violently bombarded our positions near Duckern and between Lievenhof and the River Sussey.

"In the Dvinsk section there has been lively firing. In the Tenenfeldt district the Germans fired asphyxiating bombs into our trenches. Our scouts in the region of Lake Sventen made two successful expeditions, taking prisoners and capturing arms and munitions.

"East of Tchemerine, between Rovno and Lutsk, our troops captured a hill and repulsed a counter-attack which the enemy delivered immediately after words.

"Southeast of Isebruff our troops captured a hill at the point of the bayonet and consolidated the position. They took several prisoners belonging to the Imperial Regiment, and repulsed an Austrian counter-attack.

"Our artillery dislodged the enemy from a crater southwest of Zamuschie, east of Zale Szeky. On a hill east of Baratche the enemy exploded a mine, but the attempts of the Austrians to occupy the crater were checked by hand grenades and rifle fire."

**Intense Rifle Fire Harmless**  
Rome, via London, Feb. 11.—The following official communication from general headquarters was issued:

"In the Civildale zone, in the upper Valtellina Tuesday night the enemy opened an intense rifle fire against our posts near Capana, without, however, causing any damage.

"In Lagarina valley Tuesday we repulsed a minor attack against our positions. On Tofana ridge Wednesday night an enemy detachment attempted to climb to the summit. It was repulsed and fell over the precipice.

"On the Isorno ridge and fog yesterday completely prevented artillery action."

**PERKINS LOSES SUIT**  
Jury at Dover, N. H., Finds for Aged Aunt Whom He Accused of Burning Home.

Dover, N. H., Feb. 11.—A verdict for Mrs. Nancy L. Perkins, aged 75, was returned by a jury today in the superior court in a \$5000 suit brought by her nephew, John Perkins, on the claim that she willfully carelessly set fire to her home in Stratford, which she had occupied for more than half a century and which was burned in 1914 with many of her goods.

Perkins had bought the homestead at auction a month before the fire.

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Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ill: give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

## DAIRYMEN OBJECT TO SALE OF OLIO FOR BUTTER

**State Asso. Closes Convention  
With Election of Officers.**

The closing session of the Granite State Dairymen's convention was held Thursday afternoon in St. Cecilia Hall, Manchester.

The New Hampshire Dairymen's Association elected the following officers: H. P. Towne, president; B. J. Fletcher, secretary; H. M. Kimball, vice president; H. N. Benson and George H. Venton, auditors.

The New Hampshire Guernsey Breeders' Association elected the following officers: Arthur Bruce, president; A. H. Griswold, vice president; John B. Jameson, treasurer; H. N. Blake, secretary; E. H. Wagon, William H. Cadywell, Robert T. Gould and Fred L. Tenney, executive committee.

The New Hampshire Holstein Breeders' Association made a choice of the following officers: J. W. Penrice of Alstead, president; F. A. Campbell, secretary-treasurer; L. F. Campbell, J. S. Elliott, F. W. Russell, C. H. Preston, C. H. Thomas, J. F. Potter, R. T. Eastman, E. D. Stebbins, George D. Austin and Charles E. Stevens executive committee.

Among the speakers were A. A. Holland of the State College of Pennsylvania, W. P. B. Lockwood of Amherst, Mass., and W. J. Fraser of the University of Illinois.

The association adopted resolutions favoring legislation against the sale of oleomargarine for butter and favoring a National dairy show in New England to which they promised to give their support.

**PROBATE COURT.**

The following business was transacted at the probate court held in Exeter Tuesday:

**Wills Proved.**—Of Charles Warren, Hampton Falls, John E. Ware, Newburyport, Mass., executor, waiting agent and bond; Eliza A. Moulton, North Hampton, John B. Moulton, executor; Emma E. Pike, Epping, Jennie S. Dearborn, executrix; Laura M. C. Chase, Hampstead, Charles W. Garland, executor.

**Wills Filed.**—Of Robert A. Truholm, Atkinson; Edna D. Hamilton, Exeter; Mary J. Smith, Exeter.

**Administration Granted.**—In estate of Sarah H. Parker, Kittery, Me.; Horace B. Parker, administrator.

**Accounts Settled.**—In estates of Remerle Bergeron, Newmarket; Katherine J. Adams, Derry; Mary Temple, Salem.

**Inventories Approved.**—In estates of Mary E. Cummings, Portsmouth; Fannie M. McCallin, Portsmouth; Anna M. Gove, Seabrook; Mary F. Norman, Hampstead; Edna T. Steele, Londonderry.

**Receipts Filed.**—In estates of Esther J. Brown, Epping; Levi C. Tuttle, Nottingham; George P. Beede, Fremont.

**Lists Filed.**—Of heirs and legatees, estates of Alexander Churchill, Exeter; John Sargent, Candia; Sarah H. Parker, Kittery, Me.; Laura M. C. Chase, Hampstead; Eliza A. Moulton, North Hampton; Emma E. Pike, Epping.

**Bond Approved.**—In estate of Eliza H. Bell, Exeter.

**Granted.**—Petition for discharge of surety, estate of Eliza H. Bell, Exeter.

**Distribution Decreed.**—In estate of Mary Temple, Salem.

**Accepted.**—Warrant to assign real property, estate of Annie Coffin, Exeter.

**Trustee Appointed.**—Perley Gardner, estate of Maria Gardner, Exeter.

**Commissioner Appointed.**—Frank A.

Batchelder, estate of Alexander Church, Exeter.

**Guardian Appointed.**—Emma Ellet, Portsmouth, over Barbara Doughty, Lynn, Mass.

## GINGLES' JINGLES

**IMPORTANCE.**

Oh, do not think the guy who's swelled all up on hot air stuff, St. Peter is not here to you and will not call your bluff; he's got you on the hip, old man, he'll shake you through the sieve—for you'll be small potatoes when it comes to take and give. With someone like the saint who talks into your very soul, bellow me, guy, you'll beat it through a mighty tiny hole; you puff and blow and swell up some down here upon the earth, and people stand in awe of you, and give you a whole berth. It may be that you're right at heart and not a selfish gink—but your inflated pompous style inclines to make us think that you are putting over bunk to boost yourself a few—not caring much for others, how they live or what they do. If you expect a crown, old man, when you have checked and gone, or want a friend or two on earth—cut out the stately con: help some poor mortal climb the hill, hand some poor boob a boost, make someone happy every day before you go to *Levin H. Gingles*

## REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCE.

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham recently recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

**Chester.**—John M. Webster to Luther H. Roberts, land and buildings, \$1.

**Danville.**—Mary J. Cilley to Sidney W. Huntington, land and buildings, \$1.

**Derry.**—Emma C. Boyd heirs to George Bolsclair, land, \$1.—George W. Dickey heirs to George H. Wood, land, \$1.—Elmer L. Brown, Seabrook, to Everett Ohannessian, land and buildings, \$1.—Charles H. Sargent, Atkinson, to Harriet A. Richards, land, \$1.—Elizabeth F. Pettie to George E. Pettie, land, \$100.—Edward E. Pettie, Hartford, Conn., to Elizabeth F. Pettie, one fourth certain premises, \$1.—Charles S. Pettie to last grantee, one fourth same premises, \$1.—Last grantee to Arthur C. Bailey, land and buildings, \$1.—Addie J. Mills to Mary H. Gay, lands, \$1.—Frederick N. Teague et al. to Edmund G. Trudell and J. Amos Bellevance, land and buildings, \$1.—Alice B. Hy to William L. Wheeler, Seabrook, land and buildings, \$1.—Benjamin R. Dean, to William T. Lavare, Norwood, Mass., land and buildings, \$1.

**Epping.**—Frank S. Glidden to Annie G. Glidden, land and buildings, \$1.

**Exeter.**—Elizabeth H. and C. Charles Hayes to Edward W. Rohr, land on Judy Hill street, \$1, deeded in 1902.

**Hampstead.**—Charles W. Halley to Charles Bailey, half certain premises, \$1.

**Newington.**—William E. McKering to Elizabeth C. McKering, land and buildings, \$1.

**North Hampton.**—Hiram A. Brown, Newton, Mass., to David J. Lamprey, woodland, \$1.

**Portsmouth.**—Oliver G. Fernald to Max Blankenbush, land and buildings on High street, \$1.—Susan C. Smith to Abbie R. Beane, Newington, land and buildings on North road, \$1.—John Pender et al. to Dominica Papersolers, land on Cutts street, \$1.—Margaret B. Badger et al. to Everett N. McNabb, land and buildings on School street, \$1.—Ethel W. Lockwood, Orleans, Mass., to Henry P. Payne, land and buildings on Elm street, \$1.—Joseph Fato to Ferdinand Destefano, land and buildings on Russell street, \$1.—David Levy to Harry Liberson, land and buildings on Hancock street, \$1.

**TO CONSOLIDATE POWER PLANTS.**

Concord, Feb. 11.—A consolidation of the Claremont Power, the Contoocook Electric Light and the Bradford Light and Power companies is said to be under way.

The new company, according to the report, will buy the old Hame factory at Lake Sunapee which will be converted into a main power station, the present stations of the companies, being held in reserve for auxiliary plants.

The deal, if it goes through, will place a large territory in the control of one company, as it will take in practically all of the places between Concord and Claremont.

The Claremont company is the largest, having \$700,000 preferred and \$500,000 common stock and supplying 400 consumers. The report filed with the public service commission for last year showed \$100,000 in bonds and \$185,000 in notes outstanding. Joseph B. Taylor is president and D. H. Thyngh is vice president.

The returns of the Contoocook company to the public service commission shows capital stock amounting to \$23,491.75. The cost of the plant is given as \$23,000 and it has 245 consumers. The company serves Hopkinton, Contoocook and Warner. Horace J. Davis is the president and general manager and John A. Fuller of Contoocook is the secretary.

The Bradford company is owned by C. A. Hadley. In its report the value of the plant is placed at \$10,000. The company earned last year 10.3 per cent and has 52 consumers.

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## RECIPE TO CLEAR A PIMPLY SKIN

**Pimples Are Impurities Seeking an Outlet Through Skin Pores.**

Pimples, sores and boils usually result from toxins, poisons and impurities which are generated in the bowels and then absorbed into the blood through the very ducts which should absorb only nourishment to sustain the body.

It is the function of the kidneys to filter impurities from the blood and cast them out in the form of urine, but in many instances the bowels create more toxins and impurities than the kidneys can eliminate, then the blood uses the skin pores as the next best means of getting rid of these impurities which often break out all over the skin in the form of pimples.

The surest way to clear the skin of these eruptions, says a noted authority, is to get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of hot water each morning before breakfast for one week. This will prevent the formation of toxins in the bowels. It also stimulates the kidneys to normal activity, thus causing them to filter the blood of impurities and clearing the skin of pimples.

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The evening was in charge of this committee of club members: Frank Patterson, Wallace Akerman, Philip Hunt, Theodore Butler, Walter Mulholland and Arthur Davis.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the committee at intermission.

The order of dances was as follows:  
One Step ..... "Spec"  
Two Step ..... "Coon"  
Waltz ..... "Art"  
One Step ..... "Pat"  
Three Step ..... "Akte"  
Two Step ..... "Jud"  
Fox Trot ..... "Laurie"  
One Step ..... "Craige"  
Two Step ..... Our Chaperons  
Intermission  
One Step ..... "Dunny"  
Fox Trot ..... "Clarke"  
One Step ..... "Smithie"  
Waltz ..... Phinney  
Two Step ..... "Hamie"  
Schottische ..... "Bohemian"  
One Step ..... "Doodittle"  
One Step ..... "Heinie"  
Waltz ..... Team

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### TIME TABLE

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#### Week Days.

Navy Yard—7.50, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00	10.30, 11.15, 11.40, a. m.; 12.05, 12.40
1.05, 1.35, 2.15, 2.45, 3.20, 4.00, 4.30	4.40*, 5.04, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.20, 7.45
8.19, 10.00, 10.30, 12.15 p. m.	
Portsmouth—8.10, 8.45*, 9.30, 10.15	11.00, 11.30, 11.50 a. m.; 12.15, 12.50
1.15, 1.55, 2.30, 3.00, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 4.45	5.15, 5.45, 6.10, 6.45, 7.10, 7.35, 7.55
10.15, 11.00, 11.40 p. m.	

#### Sundays and Holidays.

Navy Yard—8.30, 10.00, 10.15, 11.30	a. m.; 12.15, 12.45, 1.20, 2.30, 2.55, 4.30
5.15, 5.45, 6.20 p. m.	
Portsmouth—8.30, 10.07, 11.00, 12.00	a. m.; 12.55, 1.10, 2.00, 2.05, 4.00, 5.00, 5.30, 5.10, 6.25 p. m.

#### Holidays.

Navy Yard—7.30, 7.45, 8.10, 10.00	10.30, 11.15 p. m.
Portsmouth—7.30, 7.55, 8.30, 10.15	11.00, 11.30 p. m.

Additional Trips to Week Day Services for Saturdays.

creeds, near B. & M. depot. be Jan 16 if  
8.00 a. m.; 12.10\* instead of 12.05 p. m.  
Portsmouth-7.45\* a. m.; 12.30  
instead of 12.15 p. m.

NOTE-Enlisted men of the Navy  
and Marine Corps authorized to use  
the Yard Ferry may use it for all trips  
except those marked.\*

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## TIME TABLE

WINTER SCHEDULE  
In Effect Dec. 6, 1915.

Subject to change without notice

Portsmouth Ferry Leaves Connecticut  
With Care

For Elliot, Dover and South Berwick  
-6.55; 7.55 a. m. and every hour until  
9.55 p. m. -Then 10.55 p. m. Sunday-  
First trip 7.45 a. m.

\*Runs to Kennard's Cove and then  
and to Rosemary Junction where there  
are passengers.

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5.55 a. m. and every half hour until  
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Pegasis, Biddeford, Sanford and  
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11.55 A. M. \*12.55, 2.55, \*\*3.55, 4.55  
\*\*\*6.55; \*\*8.35 and \*\*\*9.55 p. m. Sun-  
days—\*7.55, 8.55, 11.55 A. M. 2.55,  
\*\*3.55, 4.55, \*\*9.55 and \*\*12.55 p. m.

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Several of the local bankers attended the annual meeting and banquet of the New Hampshire Bankers' Association at Concord on Friday.

Alice Swasey Hall, teacher pianoforte, 25 Hanover street.

At the meeting of Damon Lodge, No. 8, Knights of Pythias on Tuesday evening next the rank of Knight in long form will be conferred on three candidates.

When looking for dainty and novel valentines see the line in George J. French Co.'s stationery store.

A little girl hauling a box sled in which was seated a dog, that was well blanketed, attracted considerable attention on the streets on Saturday morning.

Tickets for the Moose Carnival and Fair are reported to be selling rapidly by the officers of the local lodge.

D. H. McIntosh is tearing down the wooden building at the corner of Porter and Fleet streets and will replace it with a brick structure. It will be a part of his furniture store.

Splitting Wedges and Mails Brown Tail Mole Cutters At E. C. Matthews Hdw. &amp; Paint Co. 41 Pleasant St., Opp. Postoffice.

Today is Lincoln's Birthday, and while it is a holiday in many states in the Union, it is not generally observed in the New England states. There was some local display of flags but not as much as the day should warrant.

The ladies of the local war relief committee have accomplished a wonderful amount of work in the way of bandages and pads for the hospital supplies. Their work will be the means of saving the lives of many wounded soldiers.

Margeson Bros. discount sale during month of February.

There is every indication that the Mike's big charity ball will be the social event of the season. That the Mike's are running the ball, assumes it being a success. It is hard to remember a time when that organization took hold of an affair that they failed to make a success of.

The local Revolver club held an interesting session at the range last evening. There was a good attendance and some good scores were made. Mr. Philip Webster in one match scored 48 out of a possible 50 points, and for the match 131 out of a possible 150. This would entitle him to expert rating in the National Association.

**RED MEN, NOTICE.**

At the meeting to be held Monday evening, Feb. 13, the chiefs will be raised by D. D. G. S. Perley G. Field and Julia of Exeter. Grand Chief of Records Harrie M. Young of Manchester will also be present to make an official visit.

All members of Massasoit tribe and all visiting brothers are urged to be present. A supper will be served at the close of the meeting.  
C. E. BURRELL, Sachem.**I WONDER**

If we will ever see any relics of the Civil war ornamenting any of the three public parks of the city?

If the long fight over the repair of Middle street will end under the present city council?

Who was the chaplain of that party that took the auto ride to Dover on Friday night?

Why a certain youth man purchased so many Valentines that it was necessary for him to take them home in a handbag?

Why some people never think of the license fee for their dog and get away with it?

Why the work on the construction of the Elliot fire station was held up?

Why the committee on city lands and buildings doesn't stuff up the cracks in the floor of the rooms of the public works department at city hall, to keep the ashes from coming up from the fire room below?

Why so many runaway couples hit this state for the final ceremony?

If the Pinkerton detective agency ever found out whether they had Edgar J. Beach or some other crook, when they made the arrest in London?

Why the London police have not replied to the correspondence of the Rockingham county authorities on the matter brought to their attention nearly four months ago?

If the Firemen's Standard, which claims that a Jamieson Main engine company saved the Old South Church in the Boston fire, is now satisfied that the glory belongs to the heroes of Engine 3 of this city?

If Portsmouth was ever hit so hard for charity as during the past year?

If any city of its size in the country has a better record in such matters?

If we have not good reason to be proud of the good work carried out for the needy at home and abroad?

**MAY TAKE THE OLD FOUNDRY****Portsmouth Foundry Co. Negotiating for Lease.**

The Portsmouth Foundry Company which has been obliged to seek larger quarters, may occupy the brick building now used as a store house by the Portsmouth Tanning Company in the rear of the plant on Hill street.

This building was formerly owned by the Portsmouth Machine Company and was used as a foundry and would make an ideal location for the firm that is now negotiating for the same.

Should the change come to a head, the Tanning Company it is understood will utilize the present building of the foundry company for necessary storage.

**SEASHORE HOMES FOR SUMMER OF 1916.**

Inquiries have already begun to come in for summer homes, both to buy and to rent, for the coming season.

This promises to be a good year, and if you wish to sell or rent your property, we suggest that you list it with us as soon as possible.

**BUTLER & MARSHALL,**  
Specialists in Seashore Property,  
5 Market Street.**MARRIED AT CITY HALL**

Alike Bazonich and Miss Elvira Zammarchi, both of this city, were married at city hall today by Frederic E. Drew. The groom gave his age as 26 and occupation as a shoemaker. The bride was a pretty miss of 15.

With the temperature around ten above and the wind east, this morning was the most disagreeable of the winter.

**MAYOR LADD WILL PRESIDE AT MASS MEETING****Interesting Lecture at Colonial Theatre on Serbian War Conditions.**

Mayor Samuel T. Ladd will preside at the mass meeting for the Serbian relief at the Colonial Theatre on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mayor Ladd will introduce to the people of Portsmouth one of the most brilliant women of Serbia, Miss Helen Losanitch of Belgrade, Serbia, who will tell the audience the actual condition of her war-stricken country and in addition she will illustrate her talk with many fine pictures taken of that country before and after the war cloud had passed over it. Many of these pictures Miss Losanitch took herself in the hospital and trench and they are very interesting.

She is the daughter of a member of the Serbian cabinet, her father also being a professor of the Belgrade University, the leading college of that country, and she tells what she has seen personally. She remained in Serbia until after the last invasion of the Teutonic allies was well under way and then made her way to the coast and came to this country, where she has been speaking for the benefit of the Serbian relief fund.

From all of the descriptions that have come out from Serbia, by the different special correspondents, some of whom made the memorial retreat with the Serbian army, and others who remained or came in with the Germans, the country is in far worse condition than that of Belgium. Thousands of people have been left destitute and the last reports were that they were dying by the hundreds from actual starvation. They lack food, clothing and medicine and every cent donated means possibly the saving of a human life.

At the mass meeting tomorrow the Naval band, the Nunzio bandmaster, who very generously volunteered their services, will render an excellent concert as follows:

Grand Marche et Cortège "La Reine de Suède".....Gounod  
Overture, "Gaza Ladrin".....Rossini  
Fantasia "Home Sweet Home"....."World Over".....Lamotte  
Selection "Carmen".....Bizet  
Fox Trot from Operetta "Chin Chin".....Caryl  
Intermission  
Caprice, "Dance of the Serpents".....Beecham  
Selection, "La Bohème".....Puccini  
Gems of Stephen Foster.....Tobias  
Grand Operatic Rag.....Fisher  
American Patrol.....Moulinet

The mass meeting is under the auspices of the local war relief committee, and the use of the Colonial theatre has been given by Mr. P. W. Hartford, so that all that will be received will go direct to the Serbian war relief central committee in New York. Miss Losanitch is of course unpaid.

This afternoon Miss Losanitch will be the guest at a tea at the hotel Rockingham, in her honor. This is given by the ladies of the local war relief committee.

The Colonial theatre should be packed tomorrow afternoon, as it is a worthy object. There will be no admission charge.

**MISS SMITH IMPROVING**

Miss Annie Smith who has been very

**THE SCENIC HIGH STREET**  
**High Class Features.****Triangle Plays**  
For the last two days of the week we offer an all feature program including**JULIA DEAN IN MATRIMONY**  
Produced by Thomas Ince in four reels. A story with the question of why a woman should be expected to "hold her husband, when husbands as a general rule make little or no effort to hold their wives after marriage."**GRAFT**  
Third story entitled "The Traction Club"  
Featuring Harry Carey; two reels.King Baggot in  
**THE LAW OF LIFE**  
Imp Drama, three reels.Ford Sterling and all-star cast in  
**FOLLOWING FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS**  
Keystone comedy in two reels.**SLIM, FAT OR MEDIUM**  
Comedy.

Matinees, 2.00; Evenings, 7.00, 9.15

**TONIGHT THE BIG NIGHT.**  
Triangle Plays for Monday and

Tuesday—Douglas Fairbanks in "Double Trouble," a D. W. Griffith production; Fred Mace in "The Janitor's Wife's Temptation," Keystone comedy.

At the Portsmouth hospital following a recent operation, is reported as somewhat improved today which is pleasing news to her white circle of friends in Portsmouth. Miss Smith was connected with the hospital during its early days as a nurse, under former Superintendent Mrs. Anna All-pough (Blaisdell), and her faithful and most efficient work will long be remembered by the people of this city.

**COLONIAL THEATRE****Home of Refined Vaudeville.**  
**Safety and Quality First.**

The "Masks of the Mist" are some remarkable. Four charming, beautifully formed young girls, who perform many difficult feats of diving. And the handsome stage setting adds greatly to the act. Your last chance to see them tonight. The girls all learned to dive at Bath Beach, N. Y., and have toured the country pretty thoroughly. In spite of the perilous nature of the work they have never had a serious accident, though it is impossible to keep from hitting the tank at times.

Eunice Howe sings several pleasing songs in costume. She is assisted by her two little dogs who perform many difficult tricks. "Mike," one of her pets, also talks to his mistress. An act that will please the children. Harry Stanley singing and talking comedian, has a fine line of jokes and songs, and the best of it all is that everything is new. He's sure to tickle your funny bone. Come and hear him and see if he doesn't.

**Pictures for Today Only**  
"The Math and the Star," 2 part Kalem drama. The next to the last episode in the "Slingshot" series.Selig-Tribune No. 3.  
"The Fable of Sister Mac Who Did as Well as Could be Expected," George Ade Lillian Comedy.

"A Telegraphic Tangle," Vitagraph comedy.

**PECULIAR ACCIDENT.****Edward F. Ryan Injured at Bridgeport, Conn., by Shaft of Team.**

The friends of Edward F. Ryan, formerly foreman expert planner at the Portsmouth navy yard, now holding a responsible position with the Remington Arms Company at Bridgeport, Conn., will be sorry to learn that he is restricted to his home as the result of a peculiar accident. At the time of the mishap his family was stopping in New York and Mr. Ryan left his work one afternoon with the intention of going to that place. He boarded a street car, and owing to the crowded condition was obliged to stand on the forward platform. The car had gone but a short distance when it collided with a horse and team and the shaft struck Mr. Ryan on the leg. He procured a taxi to take him to the railroad station, but on his arrival found he could not walk, and consequently abandoned his trip and returned to his boarding house. His injury, while not of a serious character, has been very annoying. Strange to say, Mr. Ryan was the only one in the car to be injured. His many friends in this city hope for his speedy recovery.

**NOTICE**

Union Hebrew Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 3, will observe its 120th anniversary on Tuesday, Feb. 15. All members not otherwise solicited from will please furnish fancy pies, cakes or jellies. Sejourning Hebrews welcome.

Estelle Varred, Noble Grand.  
Lizzie D. Anderson, Sec'y.**AUTO AND TEAM IN COLLISION****Show Window of Freeman's Bakery Wrecked as the Result.**

Shortly after 9 o'clock Saturday morning an automobile driven by Dr. H. C. Woodbury, and a team of the American Express Company were in collision at the junction of Vaughan and Hanover street. The express team was passing through Hanover street, when the auto came from the direction of Congress street and crowded the horse and team up on the sidewalk so as to wreck the show window of Arthur H. Freeman's bakery. The horse on the delivery team was somewhat lamed and had to be taken to the stable. The windshield of the auto was broken, but otherwise the machine sustained no damage by the impact. This is a particularly bad intersection of streets and several narrow escapes from collisions between autos and teams have occurred here of late.

**TRANSFERRED TO SALMON FALLS****Rev. John J. Driscoll Shifted Temporarily From Hillsboro.**

Rev. John J. Driscoll of this city, who has been stationed at Hillsboro since his ordination to the priesthood, has been transferred temporarily to Salmon Falls where he is expected to assume charge of the parish during the absence of the rector, Rev. Father Lassard, who will later be granted leave owing to illness.

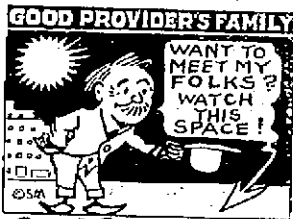
Several other changes have recently been made in the diocese that have not been made public.

**EVERY ROOM FULL AT HOSPITAL****Wards Also Have Large Number of Patients at Present.**

The Portsmouth hospital is nearly taxed to its capacity. Every room in the establishment is filled with patients and the wards are also nearly filled with the sick. The winter, especially since January 1 has been an exceedingly busy time for the hospital and has required the exerted efforts of everyone connected with the same to meet the situation which they are doing nobly and with good results.

**10 Per Cent REAL ESTATE FOR SALE UNION ST.**

Double house with 7 rooms on each side, will bring in \$348 a year, net over 6 per cent, or would make a good home to live in one side and rent the other. Price, \$3,500.

**BUTLER & MARSHALL,**  
**AUCTIONEERS.****Don't Fail to Attend the Seven O'clock Sale This Evening****Good Provider is my name!**  
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**BROWN'S MARKET****A Few Real Bargains at Brown's 7 O'Clock Sale**Pea Beans, only 2 qts. to a customer.....12 1/2c qt.  
Extra heavy salt pork, only 5 lbs. to a customer.....11 1/2c lb.  
Best pure lard, only 2 lbs. to a customer.....12 1/2c lb.  
Hamburg steak, only 2 lbs. to a customer.....11 1/2c lb.  
Fancy bacon, by the strip.....20c lb.**OUR VEGETABLE LIST**

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